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DIETER URBAN, ET AL. : EXAMINER: SASTRI, S.B.  
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FOR: POLYMER DISPERSIONS OR :  
SOLUTIONS COMPRISING 3,4  
DIHYDROXYPHENYL GROUPS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.